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Dear Sir/Madam,

This is to deny your refund request in the amount of \$10.00, for patent/serial number 10716724.

you counted the claims wrong. See claim counting sheet enclosed. When referring to a multiple claim it takes the count of that claim.

Sincerely,

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